## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-7, 9-21, 23-28, 30 and 32, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter.

Please amend Claims 8, 22, 29 and 31 to read as follows.

## 1-7. (Canceled)

8. (Currently Amended) A client in a speech recognition system to which a device that provides a speech recognition process is connected, and which provides a plurality of usable speech recognition means, comprising:

speech input means for inputting speech <u>information</u>; and selection means for selecting an input field on a graphical user interface <u>display</u>;

designation means for designating one of the plurality of usable speech recognition means according to the selection made by said selection means; and

processing means for making the speech recognition means designated by said designation means recognize speech <u>information</u> input from said speech input means; and

output means for outputting a character string recognized by said speech recognition means to the input field selected by said selection means.

9-21. (Canceled)

22. (Currently Amended) A speech recognition method for a client in a speech recognition system to which a device that provides a speech recognition process is connected, and which provides a plurality of usable speech recognition steps, comprising:

the a speech input step of inputting [[a]] speech information;

a selection step of selecting an input field on a graphical user interface

the <u>a</u> designation step of designating one of the plurality of usable speech recognition steps <u>according to the selection made in the selection step</u>; <del>and</del>

the <u>a</u> processing step of <u>making executing</u> the speech recognition step[[s]] designated in the <u>said</u> designation step <u>so as to recognize speech information</u> input in the <u>said</u> speech input step; <u>and</u>

an output step of outputting a character string recognized in said speech recognition step to the input field selected in said selection step.

## 23-28. (Canceled)

display;

- 29. (Currently Amended) A storage medium that stores a control program for making a computer implement [[a]] the speech recognition method cited claimed in claim 22.
  - 30. (Canceled)

- 31. (Currently Amended) A control program for making a computer implement [[a]] the speech recognition method cited claimed in claim 22.
  - 32. (Canceled)